

KY Dept for Libraries and Archives

SUMMER READING WORKSHOPS

Be Creative @ your library

Express Yourself @ your library

The 2009 summer reading program will explore the arts -- painting, music, drama, dance, poetry, and more. The children's theme - Be Creative - and the teen theme - Express Yourself - will feature the visual arts, performing arts, games, art activities, and much more to help participants maintain their skills during school vacation.

Summer Reading Workshops are planned for Kentucky's public librarians on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, **February 18, 19, and 20** at the Speed Art Museum in Louisville, 2035 South Third Street.

Tentative Agenda 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

8:00-9:00 a.m. - Registration

9:00-9:15 a.m. - Welcome and Announcements

9:15-10:00 a.m. - Speed Art Museum

10:15-11:00 a.m. - Susan Moore and Ted Nathanson concurrently

11:15-12:00 p.m. - Susan Moore and Ted Nathanson concurrently

12:00-1:00 p.m. – Lunch in the sculpture garden, roundtable discussions and book exhibits

1:00-1:45 p.m. – Squallis Puppeteers and Nikole Wolfe concurrently

2:00-2:45 p.m. - Squallis Puppeteers and Nikole Wolfe concurrently

3:00-3:45 p.m. – Brainstorming session with presenters

3:45-4:00 p.m. - Farewell and Door Prizes

Pre-registration by February 6th is absolutely necessary.

Please register on-line at

http://www.kdla.ky.gov/libsupport/continuinged/srp2009.asp

Presenter Descriptions

Speed Art Museum

The Speed Art Museum will present a workshop on art. Learn about important aspects of art history and art activities you can incorporate into your programming this summer to bring the arts to life for young people.

The Speed Art Museum was established in 1927 and is Kentucky's oldest and largest art museum with over 12,000 pieces in its permanent collection. Its extensive collection spans 6,000 years, ranging from ancient Egyptian to contemporary art. The Speed also houses paintings, sculpture, furniture, and decorative arts by Kentucky artists and created for Kentuckians. Through Family Art Sparks studios, the museum brings current exhibitions and art activities to life for many children.

Ted Nathanson

Louisville artist and educator Ted Nathanson will share strategies and hands-on examples for using art as a vehicle in storytelling and self expression workshops. Participants will discover ways to get around the dreaded 'I can't____', and get straight to 'I never knew I could'. Using inexpensive materials, simple techniques, and innovative approaches, learn how to create programs that foster the development of creativity, collaboration, and critical thinking.

Susan Moore

Susan Moore, formerly of the Louisville Free Public Library, is currently Principal Librarian of Adult Services for the San Diego County Library. Susan will help you discover all the ways to "Be Creative" with library programs, books, websites and media related to summer reading theme. Explore ideas for programs; interactive and "do it yourself" activities to "be creative" anytime, anywhere. Collaborate and hear practical ideas for how to build partnerships to enhance summer reading participation.

Squallis Puppeteers

Jess Myers of Squallis Puppeteers will present training on incorporating puppetry into children's programming. Learn tips on using puppets to accentuate storytelling, literacy, and audience participation. Also learn how children can use puppets to explore character, recreate stories and engage in creative play.

Nikole Wolfe

Nikole Wolfe will share ideas for engaging teens this summer in the "Express Yourself" summer reading theme. Whether it's through creative writing, drama, painting, music, etc., you'll learn about books, websites, and other media to help teens express themselves artistically.

Book exhibits—Books for children and teens as well as professional tools for librarians.

Food— A boxed lunch will be provided by the café at the Speed Art Museum. Please select a sandwich choice when you register for the workshops. We will not provide refreshments for morning and afternoon breaks. Feel free to bring your own drinks and snacks.

Parking— Parking is available in the Speed's parking garage.

Certification—Six contact hours for certification renewal will be earned by those who attend one morning and one afternoon session. Full training can be received by attending any morning and any afternoon session—either in one full day or by arriving for the afternoon session beginning at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday or Thursday (not Friday), spending the night, and finishing at noon the following day.

Hotels

For those that wish to arrive for an afternoon session and attend the following morning session, below is a list of hotels within 1.5 miles of the Speed Art Museum.

Quality Inn & Suites University/Airport (KY109) (.6 miles away) 311 E Gaulbert Ave | 502-638-6100

Days Inn Louisville Central University & Expo Center (.67 miles away) 1620 Arthur St | 502-636-3781

Hilton Garden Inn Louisville Airport (1.13 miles away) 2735 Crittenden Drive, | 502-637-2424

Super 8 (1.19 miles away) 101 Central Ave | 502-635-7408

Country Inn (1.24 miles away) 2850 Crittenden Dr. | 502-753-555

Ramada-Airport/Fair/Expo (1.29 miles away) 2912 Crittenden Dr. | 502-637-6336

Holiday Inn Louisville Airport - Fair/Expo (1.28 miles away) 447 Farmington Ave. | 877-410-6681

Directions to the Speed Art Museum

2035 South Third Street Louisville, KY 40208 502-634-2700

The Speed Art Museum is located adjacent to the University of Louisville's Belknap campus near Interstate 65. The museum is accessible by TARC Fourth Street and Eastern Parkway routes.

Directions from North on I-65

If you are traveling North on I-65, take Exit 133-B (Eastern Parkway/U of L Exit). When you get off the ramp turn right. At the next intersection turn right onto Eastern Parkway (west); Eastern Parkway dead-ends at Third Street; turn right (North) onto Third Street and the museum is the second driveway on the right.

Directions from South on I-65

If you are traveling South on I-65, take Exit 133 (Eastern Parkway). When coming off the ramp get in the right hand lane. Go straight through the stop light. The road ends at Eastern Parkway West and you have to go right onto Eastern Parkway West. Eastern Parkway deadends at Third Street; turn right (North) onto Third Street and the museum is the second driveway on the right.

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